



common technical features during examination on the merits, Applicants respectfully remind the Office that the restriction requirement should be withdrawn and the claims rejoined.

SUMMARY

Applicants elect with traverse to prosecute the container claims of Group I. For the reasons presented herewith, Applicants respectfully request the restriction requirement be reconsidered and withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted, FOR: CURRY ET AL.;

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